

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

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WELCHVILLE

Welchville Primary

Those having 100 per cent in spelling for week ending February 17:

Fourth Grade—Annie Benson, Charlotte Brown, Ruth Smith, Virginia Baker, Eugene Hannaford.

Third Grade—Ola Lake, Priscilla Brett, Eugene Hannaford.

Second Grade—Leland Powers, First Grade—Norrine Babcock.

Week ending February 24:

Fourth Grade—Priscilla Brett, Reena Cash, Virginia Baker, Annie Benson.

Third Grade—Ola Lake, Priscilla Brett, Eugene Hannaford.

Second Grade—Leland Powers, Eugene Hannaford, Leland Powers.

First Grade—Norrine Babcock, Sub-Primary—Dorothy Holmes.

Flora Cummings, who has been ill at the C. M. G. Hospital is convalescing at the home of Maude Dorey.

Bernice Fritz, Mechanic Falls spent the week end at her home here, recently.

Oxford grange held its regular meeting Friday February 17. After the business meeting, the lecturer had a short program. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Payson Brett, who has been ill, is recovering.

The 4-H club of Welchville held their regular meeting, Saturday, Feb. 18. Two members were absent. After the business meeting a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments furnished by Pearl Hirst, the youngest member.

HARRISON

The Fire Department were called, Sunday morning, to a fire on Maple Ridge at the Whitney farm, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Williams. The building was destroyed completely. They were owned by Nathaniel Whitney and formerly known as the Mary Ross farm. There was no insurance.

Mrs. Elston Ingalls motored to Orono for the holiday to attend the College Day with Mr. Ingalls, who is a student at the University of Maine.

The Wygonette Literary Club was entertained by Mrs. Samuel L. Thayer, Thursday afternoon. In the absence of the president, Mrs. James Blake, the vice president, Mrs. Frank Bennett, was in charge. The present secretary, Mrs. George Anzio, who is substituting for Mrs. Nathaniel Whitney, read the reports.

The program consisted of:

Music, Roll Call, Reading, India, Paper, India, Missionary Work, Reading, From Voiceless India, Emerson, Mrs. Marshall H. Pitts, Mrs. Kenneth Packard, and son of Mrs. Ethel Packard, is the champion fisherman of this locality. Kenneth recently, in one afternoon, caught seven good sized pickerel in Long Lake. The largest weighed 4 1/2 lbs.

Lakeside Grange served an excellent oyster stew supper, Wednesday evening, followed by one of their usual delightful evenings of entertainment. There were three short plays and a vocal solo in costume by James Chadbourne. Violin solo by Donald Chadbourne and musical specialties by Ross Catland. Dancing followed by the music by the Harrison Play Boys, Ross Catland, piano; Arnold Merrill, violin; Mrs. Edwin Ward, trumpet, and Harry Smith, drums.

"The Country" was given by Waterford talent, Friday evening, to a good audience. Dancing followed, with music by the Harrison Play Boys, assisted by Mrs. Edwin L. Ward.

Lewis Briggs is spending a few weeks with his son, Lawrence Briggs, at Canton. He plans to return for town meeting next Monday.

Lakeside Grange met for its regular meeting, February 18th, Saturday evening. Nearly all the officers were present and there was a good attendance. Lecturer Celia J. Ward presented the following:

"Tella Woman"

Sisters Julia Greene, Mabel Littlejohn, Eda Gray, Jane Stevens, Mrs. Brown.

Brother Warren Chadbourne gave a very interesting talk on Poultry Raising followed by a five minute word contest, which was won by Warren Chadbourne, having found thirty words from the word Valentine. Being the winner in the contest, he was elected to be the "postman" for the Valentine box, which caused much merriment. There was also a table of articles on display made from grain sacks. It was very interesting to note the pretty and useful articles made from the sacks. A Valentine march followed, the entertainment which was followed by a short social.

On Monday, the 6th of March, the ladies of Woodland Rebekah Lodge will serve their usual dinner for the town meeting folks.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jesse Libby of South Portland were here a few days last week. Mrs. Freeman Whitney came home with them after several weeks stay with her daughter, Mrs. Stanley Bennett, in Portland. Mr. Bennett and Mr. Libby were both ill and Mrs. Whitney has been helping her daughters.

SWEDEN—BLACK MOUNTAIN

Majorie Noble visited her aunt in Brownfield a few days, recently.

Mrs. Freeman Dyer and children, called on Mrs. Chester Noble, Mrs. Joseph Perry, and on Mrs. Guy Tower, last week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Leewood Norton from Lovell, were in this vicinity, last Wednesday.

Mrs. William Mahoney and children, called on Walter Stover, also on Mrs. Guy Tower, one day recently.

Mrs. Herbert Pratt and daughter, Mrs. Chester Noble, and Minnie Moore, called on Mrs. Guy Tower one day very recently.

Leon Cressey and Asa Noble walked to Lovell Village, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Herbert Pratt and daughter called on Mrs. Harry Moore, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Moore has been suffering with neuralgia in her face, for the last week.

Marjorie Noble called on Mrs. Harry Moore, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tower called on their aunt, Mrs. Alvah Brown at Bridgton Village, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore and daughter, were in Bridgton Village, one day last week.

Minnie Moore called on Mrs. Herbert Pratt, one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowell called on Harry Moore and family, one evening recently.

The trucks are busy every day here on the hill, hauling N. T. Fox's birch to Westbrook. There are two and some days three or four trucks hauling.

Leon Cressey and Asa Noble butchered a hog for Chester Noble, last Friday.

MASON

Mrs. Grace Morrill and children visited her mother, Mrs. Robert Clough, at Bethel, Friday.

E. H. Morrill butchered a great creature one day recently.

Herman Merrill butchered a pig which he sold to W. A. Bryant, Bethel, the first of the week.

Rupert Grover went to the basket ball game at Bethel, Wednesday evening, and spent the night with his aunt, Mrs. Alice Holman.

School commenced Monday after a three weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacKenzie were in Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

NORTH PARIS

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Ellingwood are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Saturday, February 18, at West Paris. The baby's name is David. Mr. Ellingwood is a member of the Home Demonstration Agent, was at the Community hall last Saturday evening, February 21, for the purpose of organizing a boys' 4-H club. The officers elected were as follows:

President—Wilbur Chamberlain.

Vice President—Robert Chamberlain.

Secretary—Harold Andrews.

Treasurer—Myron Bonney.

Cheer Leader—Myron Bonney.

Color Bearer—Merton Bonney.

Assistant—Merton Bonney.

Mrs. Nina Felt spent Tuesday night, recently with her daughter, Mrs. Florence Felt.

Mrs. Blanche Ridley has been confined to her bed with a carbuncle on her leg.

Warren Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Abbott, was taken to the hospital at Lewiston, recently, with an acute case of appendicitis. He is getting along as well as can be expected. His mother has been in Lewiston, so to be near him.

Flourant Pierce is working for Lewis Proctor in Greenwood, cutting wood.

EAST OXFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rhodes of Saco were at her sister's, Mrs. Arthur M. Thayer's, Monday, while Mr. Rhodes did some errands for Mr. Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. McKen and Clifford P. Lake were in Augusta on business, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Sands and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Thayer and son, Edwin, were in Lisbon Falls and called on Frank M. Hall, recently.

There was a good crowd at the social Friday evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed. Songs by John Ramsey, Alfred Scribner and Ruth and Lottie Records. Another one will be held Mar. 10th.

Cecil Maxim of South Paris called on Mrs. Leona Records, Saturday.

Rexford E. Pelton spent Sunday with Raymond F. Babineau.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Thayer and son Edwin spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Sands.

MILTON

Francis Laplain who is sick in bed again, is getting slowly.

Mrs. Edith Jackson and daughter, Clara, visited relatives at Mechanic Falls, Saturday.

Mrs. Ada Billings visited relatives at Norway, Saturday.

Mrs. Alpheus Coffin and children visited at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett's, Sunday.

NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. Hattie Vail, who has been visiting her brother, returned to Bethel, Friday morning.

Mrs. Carl Hakala, who has been sick with heart trouble, went to Lewiston to see a doctor. She is obliged to stay in bed for a few days to get rested up.

Ruth Brink, who is working at South Paris, returned to Bethel, Friday, after a week's absence.

Mrs. Kilgore's over the week end.

There was an oyster stew supper at Mrs. Fred Wright's, Friday night, with thirty-seven to supper and a pleasant time.

Mrs. Frank Vail, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Daisy Morton, returned to Newry, N. H., Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Esen Perren taking her. Mrs. Morton, Ramona and Junior went with them, also.

Earl Wiles and Daniel Wight of Gorham Normal School spent the week end at Len Wight's.

Don and Daniel Wight went to Bethel Saturday, with Earl Wiles.

Clifford Laus spent a few days in town and reached Sunday, February 26th.

Ralph and Kenneth Taylor called on Rodney Hanson, Saturday.

Mrs. Lon Wight went to South Paris to court, Monday.

DENMARK

Rev. L. C. Harsh spoke at the church service on "Persecutors Become Heroes." Members of the council met at the Hiram Methodist church, Friday night to adopt a new constitution and elect officers as follows:

President—Herbert Moulton, East Hiram.

Vice President—Walter P. Grogan, East Hiram.

Secretary—Hazel Ingalls, Denmark.

Treasurer—Clifton Evans, East Hiram.

The name of the new parish is Western Maine Lutheran Church.

Violet Mitchell and Imogene Wentworth attended the 4-H Ladies' meeting at South Paris, Saturday.

Jessie Jennings entertained at a bridge party, Wednesday evening.

Relatives and friends of Fred Bradbury of East Brownfield are shocked at his sudden death caused by heart trouble. Funeral service was Monday. He leaves in this town, a sister, Mrs. Mac Jack, one niece, and three nephews.

Frances and Ralph Pingree and friends from Massachusetts were at Elwood Pingree's, Wednesday.

Mrs. Elwood Pingree entertained members of the sewing circle at her home, Wednesday.

NORWAY—NOBLE'S CORNER

Mrs. and Mrs. Daniel White are moving back soon from Swift's Corner to their home here.

Chester French was a guest for supper at the evening at Del Kilgore's, recently.

Roy Ingalls is sawing wood for several of the neighbors. Among those he has saved for are Asa Packard, Wayland Upton and Del Kilgore.

Jack French Jr. is still working at Lyndon Brackett's at Bolster's Mills. He expects to be there several weeks longer.

Isabel Thistle has been home with a bad cold.

Edna Thurston spent the day recently with her sister, Adelaide Upton.

Madeline Packard and Eva Brett were callers at G. French's, Sunday afternoon, February 19.

Theodore Whitman was home over the week end, recently from his work in the woods in Albany.

Lena Pulkkinen, who has been working for Mrs. Pottle, has gone to Norway to work for Mrs. Sara Golub. Mrs. Golub is in the hospital.

Martha French spent the week end with her friend, Ruth Morse, in Norway. She had a letter from her brothers who are boarding in Sumner. They seem very happy in their new home.

Several from this neighborhood attended the Circle dinner, recently.

The young folks have been having lots of fun sliding on the big hill.

GREENWOOD—ROWE HILL

"The Smoky Mountain Boys" met at Ernest Brooks, Wednesday evening, Feb. 22. The program which consisted of cowboy songs and stories, was broadcast over a dummy "radio" from "Station KVOO, Pockline Ridge, Oklahoma." The announcing was very ably done by "Rustler" Martin. After the meeting, some of the cowboys practiced hymns to Tuesday night.

George Hall has finished work at Montie Brooks' and gone to Woodstock to work for Mrs. Bert Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Duward Lang were at West Paris, Sunday.

Edgar Dunham and Mae Coolidge were at E. L. Dunham's, Sunday.

On "Big City and the Small Town"

A. G. Staples, in Lewiston Journal

The past three years have proven that the small town and the small State have weathered and yet can weather the depressed condition of business better than can the large city and the large State.

About 90 per cent of the hysteria that has transpired since 1929 have come from some twenty great cities, chief of which is New York City. It is perhaps the most glorious city on earth and yet one of the most burdensome on the "small town" of the Republic. It is like the city that St. John the Divine saw in dream—yet lacking power for its own redemption. It is mismanaged, abominable, snobbish, important and ignorant; and yet unconscious of its failing. While it would rule and govern the nation, it cannot govern itself. While it advises America as to what to do, it cannot care for itself. Instead of setting good example in life, morals and spirituality, it sets the worst.

For three years it has been bewailing its own folly, because like an infant it put its hand on a hot stove and burned itself. The same may be said of Chicago, but one example is enough. Chicago cannot even keep its nose clean. It acts like a back-seat rough-neck in the little old red schoolhouse. It cannot even sniff up its own filth.

And the trouble is that these big cities assume to patronize the smaller communities. Being largely among their likes. They pity the "rube." They proclaim their visual wonders, which are created by mere numbers, rather than by excellences and they create them partly by complacency of the metropolitan boob, who does not know a sucker when he looks in the mirror and partly by tribute to the boss and the gangster. The most ignorant and illiterate New Yorker seems to think that he possesses something of the grandeur of boulevard and building, when as a matter of fact, he is merely a pipsnake on a pyramid.

Great cities have great men, in many cases, because it takes something unusual to attract attention. A leading member of the bar, a distinguished physician, a leading editor, a poet, a playwright, etc., who has evolved in New York, is worthy of the credit for his rise to the top thru the whirlpool of its many waters. But the difficulty is not in the National City of recognition, for one dwelling in a small town, or he or she is discounted, at once. "He lives in a hick town," is a reproach. But if he writes like Shakespeare or speaks like Demosthenes, he reaches the peak, thru civic malstrom.

And the rise is to his credit, quite as much.

For three years, the small town has been coming back to a more nearly proper estimate of place in the public system. For two or three decades, we have been the stock jobbers of the moving picture and the work of fiction and subject to the gibes of the literati. It has been smart to be sophisticated and metropolitan. Half-bedroom came up to Maine from Sixth avenue or Harlem to astonish the natives. It was with difficulty that they could keep their faces straight in a Maine village. They did not know perhaps that the village folk who had just lived along, in placid ways, their yeaps were like those of a dog, whose tail had been caught in the door-jam. And these cries of "unemployment" and "depression" have colored the National life and made their sympathizing rural friends sympathetic and willing to be taxed, but growingly impatient for the return of the day, when these big cities will come to their senses, sit down and stop rocking the boat.

We can join in the opinions of Governor Corbin of Maine, that Maine has felt the depression very little outside of a few larger towns—small towns in the National census at that.

A woman who arrived at a hill-town, summer resort, Oxford County, Maine, direct from Bethlehem, Pa., where there is a colossal affair in steel-works, was surprised to hear the grocer say, "There is no depression here."

That village goes on just the same. Everybody has about the same income and that is small, knows no sense of worry. There are about 600 towns and cities in Maine and of them not more than fifty have any sense of "depression."

This is not peculiar to Maine. A writer named Dale Miller, writing in the Texas Weekly, says:—

One of the lessons taught by the depression has been that the small towns have weathered with surprising fortitude this National crisis which has prostrated the cities. This truth is significant in that it indicates that the economic resources of the towns, less exhausted than those of the cities, might be further tapped in an effort to revive more prosperous years. Public-spirited citizens should find in this possibility an incentive to seek small industries for their towns, to encourage new enterprises, and—most important of all—to foster a civic consciousness and local pride.

"Small towns will do well, however, to avoid the mistake that is often made. Chambers of commerce and booster clubs inevitably seek new industries with the heralded intention of promoting their small cities to the ranks of big cities. Incoming capital is celebrated, increases in population ballyhooed. Is it wise for the small town to seek as a goal the bigness and unruly character of big cities, at the expense of the intimacy and humanness which are its greatest blessings?"

"Progress does not necessarily imply abnormal growth. New industries should be sought not for the purpose of building the town beyond itself but with the idea of stimulating an active, progressive citizenship to greater personal satisfaction in life. The value of the small town lies simply in its being a small town, and remaining such might indeed be its greatest goal."

The philosophy of this is plainly good. The automobile relieves the "small-town" of enforced isolation. He may travel far and wide. And with what joy he returns to the peace of his own village. He likes it. And let us confess, he is rather jealous of his hermitage. He is not eager to have much more urban population. He rather "looks down" on New Yorkers and Chicagoans. He may enjoy observing their gradual deflation; but it is no longer a novelty and that, is frequently disturbing. It is also apt to impregnate the native atmosphere with impure gases.

There are towns in Maine that are so quaint and lovely that to "improve" them is desecration. There are hills whereon to erect a house to face New York or would be to offend God.

To consider the mission of small-towns as basic in our duty, in tribute to the solidity of our Nation. We have indeed

stood the stress very well. If we did not hear the child crying in the big-city crib, we would be far more happy. We sincerely hope that it will soon be so.

Father Hoover said that the strength of America is in the home and isn't it so? Peace reigns in the hundreds of thousands of small communities. There is no panic, no sophistication there, as a rule; except such as obtains in some of the unfortunate imitators of the big-town stuff.

A good thought for 1933 is this background of our National life. Radio brings us closely to the metropolitan, "dinner," only to find that as a rule the speeches are inferior to those of the native town-meeting. We small-towners are more and more contented—let us tell the world—and we are soon to set up a claim of superiority in manner of existence that shall prevail. The day of big cities is not over; but the day of their predominance is closing. They are liabilities, rather than assets. They are problems as well as exhibits. The Empire State Building as what to do, it cannot care for itself. Fifth avenue is not as wide as the Kennebec river.

Let's outline Maine to our bosom; let's make it more cultured and more liberal. Let's intimate ourselves properly instead of admitting that we are all that we are said to be, the land of the rube and the home of the hick.

In a word, times are hard enough everywhere but the truth is that the small town didn't start them; has not suffered as much as the big town; and that we have made our mistakes chiefly by imitating the big-towns in extravagances.

EAST SUMNER—SUMNER HILL

Miss Susie Russell visited her sister, Mrs. Merin Morrill, over the week end. Miss Roberta Turner of West Sumner was a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Davenport, last week.

The "Dime and Dine" (Club of the William A. Barrows Relief Corps met at the home of Mrs. Frances Poland, Tuesday.

Miss Alma Davenport was in Lewiston, Wednesday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Merin Morrill were business visitors in Lewiston, recently.

Mrs. Omar Farrar, Mrs. Charlie Farrar and children; Jeannette and Roger, were visitors, Friday afternoon, of Miss Alma Davenport.

WEST SUMNER

Mrs. John Damon, who has been assisting in the care of Mrs. Velma Farrar, has returned to Buckfield and Mr. Farrar accompanied her for the remainder of the winter.

Miss Vera Bonney has been in Auburn the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roger Grant.

Ernest DeWolf is sick.

Mrs. Leroy Blisbee has gone to Portland for a while.

Mrs. Eugene Smith is recovering from her fall.

Mr. Arthur Chandler has an ailment on her eye and she is obliged to go to Auburn for treatment.

WEST SUMNER—PLEASANT POND

Mrs. Amy Farrar was a guest at B. C. Love's one day the past week.

Mrs. Emory Ryerson spent several days at West Paris last week, "he guest of her daughters, Mrs. Harold Bonney and Mrs. Leon Truett.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chandler and Mr. and Mrs. Dana Dudley, Bryant Pond, were in Lewiston and Auburn, Friday.

Mrs. Emma Harding is a guest at Rollin Stetson's.

Mrs. Elden Garey and daughter, Arlene spent the day, Saturday, with Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Clara Dunham spent several days the past week with friends at Oquossoc.

Patricia McWilliams was the guest of Estella Roberts a few days recently.

Emma Harding, Norway, was a Sunday guest at Stetson Tuell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Garey and Donald Ryerson were in Bethel, Sunday, to get Elizabeth Garey. She has been a visitor there the past week at her aunt's, Mrs. A. D. Forbes.

Henry Davenport has gone to Oquossoc to work in the fish hatchery. This is his third year there.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McWilliams were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Charles Porter spent the week end with relatives in this vicinity.

Alton Hadley and Charles Hadley were in Augusta, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Love, Gladys Dunham, Bert Malone, Charles Roberts and Richard McWilliams were guests at Mr. and Mrs. Elden Garey's, Saturday evening.

"Ping Pong" and cards were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carlson and children of East Milton, Mass., were guests of Stetson Tuell and daughter, Emily, Thursday.

Walter Chandler was at South Paris, Monday, to attend the Oxford County P. of H. Mutual Fire Insurance meeting.

The Mystic Valley Telephone Company held their annual meeting Monday afternoon, at Oscar Chandler's.

Mrs. Charles Roberts and daughter, Estella were guests of Mrs. Mildred Trask, North Paris, Monday.

BUCKFIELD

Miss Eleanor Heald spent Wednesday and Friday night with Miss Mildred Pearson.

Miss Ada Bonney entertained several of her friends, Wednesday night. Those present were: Miss Beatrice Pearson, Miss Dorothy Holmes, Miss Evelyn Ridley, Arnold Allen, Gilbert Tilton, Urban Rowe and Gerald Bennett.

There was an open literary meeting at the schoolhouse, Friday night. There was a debate given on taxation. The affirmative was upheld by Geneva Hatch and Eleanor Purkis. The negative was upheld by Evelyn Ridley and Gerald Sinclair.

Miss Mildred Pearson spent Thursday night with Miss Eleanor Heald.

Mrs. C. L. Hammond and daughter Ida, Mrs. Bessie Buck, Mrs. R. J. Warren, Mrs. Hattie Turner and daughter Geneva called on Mrs. A. C. Foster, Friday.

Miss Margaret Ricker is home for a week's vacation.

Mrs. A. C. Foster and Miss Mary Farrar called on Mrs. Wilfred Powers, Saturday.

Rodney Pearson is spending the week with his parents at the camp.

Mrs. L. L. Parks is spending two months with friends in Massachusetts.

Miss Evelyn Ridley is spending the week end with her parents, in Leeds.

The Buckfield Primary, Intermediate and Grammar schools closed Friday, February 24, for four weeks' vacation.

HARBOR

Norman Gray was home over the holiday from University of Maine and went fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Douglas are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Everett Lorenzo, February 20.

Mrs. Earl Harriman is home from the hospital and doing well.

Miss Ruth Fairbanks visited Miss Mavis Fox, Saturday, and attended the pictures at North Conway in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hurd were guests of their son, H. A. D. Hurd, and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Stanley and Betty were guests of W. J. Haley and daughter for dinner, Sunday.

W. E. Thompson and sons have bought a truck.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Benson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Allen, Sunday.

WEST BUCKFIELD

Ralph Farrar and F. A. Cooper with four pairs of horses and drivers, Sunday, moved the Bird bungalow from Everett Record's place down on F. A. Cooper's field. Mr. and Mrs. Farrar will use it for a home when in Maine.

High winds and snow flying, Monday morning.

We enjoyed the piece printed in the Advertiser entitled "The Way It Used to Be." It brought old school days back to me. We like to read writings by "The Goose."

Friday evening, Bert Buck entertained a few neighbors with cards.

Mrs. Louise Buswell went to East Hebron Grange, Saturday.

The Grateaus were at M. E. Bennett's fellowship mine, Thursday.

Mrs. Hattie Turner entertained the Seawasco Club, Thursday, March 2.

Mrs. M. E. Bennett is at home from Buckfield.

Raymond Rowe of Norway was at M. E. Bennett's, Sunday.

BUCKFIELD—STREAKED MT.

There was a card party at the home of A. L. Sturtevant, Friday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Merrill and three children, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lovejoy, Wendell, Norman and Bernice Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lovejoy, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Smith, Harold and Flora Whitman.

Refreshments were served, including a birthday cake for Richard Sturtevant, as it was his twelfth birthday. He also received several presents.

L. E. Monk is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Montelle Turner, of Hebron.

Miss Flora Whitman returned to her school in Melrose, Mass., Sunday, after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Cora Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sturtevant attended the 4-H Club Leaders' Conference at South Paris, last Saturday.

There will be an entertainment at the Grange Hall, North Buckfield, Saturday night, March 4. There are two trawls, one entitled "The Old Fashioned School" and the other, "Who's On the Line?" Essays, music, etc., on the program. Cards and dancing will follow.

There was a meeting of the Buckfield Buehodies 4-H Club, at the home of Percy Buck, Saturday night. All members were present. A judging contest was held and considerable business transacted. There will be a special meeting at the home of Leon Buswell, Friday night, to take the place of the one postponed from February 11. Mason Bennett will give a talk on calf raising. After the last meeting, refreshments were served and games enjoyed.

WEST PARIS—TRAP CORNER

Mrs. Carl J. Emery of Mechanic Falls spent the week end with Mrs. Elwood Pierce.

Mina Mikonen is working in the shoe shop at Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurler Hazelton and son were at Cyrus Hazelton's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Estes and daughter went to Lewiston, Friday.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis M. Davis went to Bridgton, Sunday, to visit her mother, Mrs. Clorie Pingree, and brother, Laurence, and family.

Dennis Bryant of Bryant Pond was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis several days the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Andrews, Minnie Stevens and Mrs. Lane went to Portland, Friday, the day.

Mrs. Rose Cole is very poorly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Dean.

The Grange Orchestra met at Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Davis', Monday night. There were fifteen present. Besides the rehearsal, cards and jig saw puzzles were enjoyed.

SOUTH BETHEL

Mrs. Ida York and four children from Rowe Hill visited Mrs. Henry Hall and family, Saturday, February 18.

Mrs. Year Bean from Chandler Hill visited Mrs. Frank Brooks, one afternoon recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, Elmer Smith, were at Bethel, Saturday evening, February 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Azariah Noyes from Milton visited at Mrs. Agnes Walker's, February 18.

Harry Isaacson from Auburn was in town, recently.

Mrs. Agnes Walker went to Bethel with Mr. and Mrs. Azariah Noyes, Saturday afternoon, February 18.

Elmer Smith, Raymond Harthorne and Roderick Harthorne are working in the mill at Locke's Mills, nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Brooks from West Paris visited his uncle, Frank Brooks and family and his father, Henry Brooks, who is also there, over the week end, recently.

Bernice Tibbets from Locke's Mills visited in town over the week end, recently.

Elmer Smith saved some fire wood for Frank Brooks, recently.

ALLEN—WEST BETHEL

Mrs. George Brown and Arlene have returned home from Albany where they have been visiting the last three weeks.

Mr. Brown has employment in the woods at Andover.

Flory and Leonard Kimball and Delmont Harding spent Saturday night at George Brown's.

Mrs. Flory Kimball and daughter, spent Sunday with Mrs. Guy Perkins.

Carlton Saunders and Joe Perry were home from Grafton, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Merrill from Waterford were calling in town, Sunday.

Warren Bean started work at Tebbets' Mill at Locke's Mills, Monday.

Elmo Saunders took dinner Monday with Flory Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and daughter, called on Mrs. Walter Balentine, Sunday.

George Brown went to North Paris, on business, recently.

Leland Mills is stopping with Mrs. Lottie Hutchinson for a while.

Irene Saunders is staying with Mrs. Cora Brown, nights.

Sunday school met at Mrs. Carlton Saunders, Sunday.

Albert Kimball and Elmo Saunders went to Rumford, Tuesday, with a load of pulp.

Delmont Harding called on his mother, Mrs. Will Mason, Sunday.

Elmo Saunders is staying nights at Mrs. George Brown's and doing the milking.

EAST SWEDEN

Henry Bidlon has traded with his brother, Donald, for his motorcycle.

Ray Kneeland was hauling wood for Lee Kimball one day last week.

Frank Bidlon has been yarding timber for Orion Monkon.

The snow plow went through this place for the second time this winter at mid-night, February 26th.

Ray Kneeland has two men, Dan Smart and Gerald Bishop, in the woods, cutting pine, hemlock, fir and spruce, on his J. W. Nevers lot, and Mr. Kneeland is hauling it to his mill with his tractor.

His mill yard and pond are beginning to look as though there would be some work to do later at the mill, saving the logs and shingles. Mr. and Mrs. Kneeland were in Saco, February 21st.

GOOD AMUSEMENT CHEAPER THAN EVER

The clouds of business depression have a silver lining like any other old clouds. Good amusement in the form of fine and entertaining reading matter can now be obtained cheaper and easier than ever before.

Doubleday, Doran & Co., of Garden City, N. Y., one of the country's largest and most successful publishers of magazines and books, has recently introduced a new type of periodical—a complete novel magazine which contains not only one book-length novel, but three. This is a boon to dwellers in small towns and villages, for the periodicals may be had at news stands which are located in every hamlet.

Complete novels of love, adventure and mystery appear in this new form and the reader residing in rural districts may secure fresh reading matter as soon as dwellers in the great metropolitan areas.

Further, where the cost of books in book form is almost prohibitive to the avid reader of thrilling fiction, the publishing of them in magazine form brings the cost down to a figure within reach of all.

Other publishers are now following the lead of Doubleday, Doran & Co. Good reading is educational as well as entertaining. Some of the country's most favored authors, Captain Dingle, Sinclair Gluck and H. Bedford Jones, among others just as famous, are having their latest novels published in these new periodicals.

The American Fiction Guild, an association of authors and artists, which is carrying on a campaign to raise the standards of popular fiction, heartily endorses this new innovation.

PIGEON HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mayberry and June and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thurlow and family attended a meeting and baptism in Lewiston, Saturday, February 25th.

Mrs. Winnie Thurlow returned home after a three weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. P. G. Wilson.

Janice Tyrer attended the meetings of the 4-H Club at Westville.

Richard and Clarence Tyrer have been saving wood for Divinal Tyrer.

Most of the farmers on the hill have harvested their annual supply of ice.

Mrs. Jennie Mayberry was in Lewiston and Auburn, last week.

Miss Evis Haskell of Oxford has been visiting her cousin, Alberta Thurlow.

Almer Griffin is very sick.

Alfred Thurlow is working for Arthur Poland.

Orrin Morton is hauling hay from Mechanic Falls.

C. K. Denning has ten white Chester pigs.

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Drama at South Waterford—Election of Officers Postponed

The drama play, "Attorney for the Defense," will be given on Friday evening at the South Waterford. This is a good play with an excellent plot and it is expected so you want to be sure that you are there. The ladies of South Waterford will serve supper at 6:30 before the drama.

The members of the Crooked River Outing Club, who dared to face the weather, met for the meeting, enjoyed an indoor picnic, and the election of officers was held. The election of officers was held at the meeting. The election of officers was held at the meeting. The election of officers was held at the meeting.

North Waterford Church vestry meeting was held on Friday evening. The election of officers was held at the meeting. The election of officers was held at the meeting. The election of officers was held at the meeting.

LYNCHVILLE
Mrs. McKee is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Cobb, at Norway.

Mr. McKee is cutting his wood. Mr. McKee is cutting his wood. Mr. McKee is cutting his wood. Mr. McKee is cutting his wood.

ALBANY
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born February 24. She has been named Ruth Marie.

Miss Agnes and Mildred Stanley are visiting relatives at West Waterford. Miss Agnes and Mildred Stanley are visiting relatives at West Waterford.

Miss Hilma Logan spent the week end at her home from Norway High School. Miss Hilma Logan spent the week end at her home from Norway High School.

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SOUTH ALBANY
Charlie Kimball has finished hauling for Walter Canwell and is now some for Preston Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Bird and Ida May spent Saturday at her father's, Walter Canwell's.

A crew was seen in this vicinity one day last week, the first one seen here for a long time. He was flying before a strong northwest wind and looked as if he might be rather sorry that he had returned from the south so early.

Paul Staples of Oxford was in this place recently, buying cattle. He had a calf of Walter Canwell, several head of cows, and some of Walter Canwell's cows.

Mr. Kimball has been suffering from another attack of asthma. Mr. Kimball has been suffering from another attack of asthma.

Mr. Kimball and Frederic Scribner were home over the week end from school. Mr. Kimball and Frederic Scribner were home over the week end from school.

Mr. Albert Cox and Beatrice Canwell were callers at Mrs. Ernest Brown's, Tuesday afternoon.

SOUTH WATERFORD
Miss Louise Moulton from Bridgton is visiting her niece, Mrs. Marion Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimball attended the supper and entertainment at the congregational church, South Paris, last Tuesday evening. About 400 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sanborn visited last night. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sanborn visited last night.

Harold Kimball's chimney burned out Sunday, no damage done. Harold Kimball's chimney burned out Sunday, no damage done.

Mr. and Mrs. Grange met Saturday evening with a good attendance. After the business meeting the acting lecturer, Miss Eva Ames, presented the following program:

Home Ruth Ames
Clement Kilgore and Camilla Little Ruth Ames
Mildred Hayes Ruth Ames
Singing Solo Harry Keane
Entertainment Ruth Ames

After the program ice cream and coffee were served in the dining room, after which a social hour of dancing was enjoyed. Next meeting, March 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Savin spent Wednesday, February 22, with their daughter, Mrs. Merton Kimball and family.

Several parties have been fishing on Bear Pond, recently. Some have had very good luck.

Junior Pike, son of Frank Pike, from North Conway, N. H., has been spending a week with his grandmother, Mrs. Edith Pike and family.

Miss Lillian Kittredge, who has been working at Carl Heath's, has gone to East Waterford to work.

Owing to the drifted conditions of the roads, the Blackguard school car was unable to make the trip, Monday.

Clinton Goodwin has been sick with the jaundice is better. Clinton Goodwin has been sick with the jaundice is better.

Word received from T. W. Hardy in Dehnam, Mass., states that he had a bad fall and is in bed from the effects of it. Mr. Hardy has a home in South Waterford and usually spends his summers here.

Last summer he was unable to come. The supper and play, "Attorney for the Defense," will be held at the grange hall on Friday evening.

Those having 90 per cent or above in spelling, last week:

Grade VI—Edith Pike, Dwight Savin, Eric Hamlin.
Grade VII—Margaret Bell.
Grade VIII—Helene Decker.
Grade IX—Stanley Brown, Edwin Gardner, Earl Bell.

EAST WATERFORD
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hodgman and boys of New Gloucester spent Sunday with relatives in town.

George Bennett called to see his nephew, George York, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Heath are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

NORTH WATERFORD

Those having 100 per cent in spelling for the week ending February 24: Theresa M. Durgin, Kurthland H. Lord, Hugh S. Durgin, Alfred A. Littlefield and Harvey R. Lord.

Miss Isabelle Reid, teacher in grammar room was taken to the hospital at Lewiston, last week. Miss Louise Stone from Waterford is to finish teaching in her place, the rest of the term.

Mahlon Grover came home from the hospital, Friday.

Phyllis Savin, who spent last week at her home here is to have this week here on account of whooping cough in her school. Lottie Savin spent the week end at her home.

From 2:30 to 3:30 Friday afternoon the two schools were entertained by the Rebekahs at the Odd Fellow's hall. Games were played and an excellent treat served. The following February program was given by the schools:

"America" Primary
Flag Salute Sub. II, III
Maine Stories Richard Jones
Books Never Told Richard Jones
Two Lincoln Stories Richard Jones
Journey to a House Party Ella Kittredge
Famous Songs, Eudora and Sargent Coleman.

February Boys Primary
The Builders Grammar
Two Washington Stories Billy Little
Theresa Durgin and Billy Little
A Big Boy Albert Wernmouth
A Valentine Doris Paine
Sing a Song of Washington Primary

Reta Durgin and Marguerite Brown in the grammar room got 100 per cent in spelling for the week ending February 24.

There was a good attendance at Waterford Grange, Friday night. A Washington program was given, and a good sum was taken from the penny lunch which was much enjoyed.

Sunday, two young men from Bates College, Lewiston, conducted the services, assisted by Mr. Brandon. It was very interesting with a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott and two children from Bridgton have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Hatch.

Annie B. Hazelton was an all day guest of Velma Cummings last week, Thursday and had a very pleasant visit.

The 4-H club met at Bernice Littlefield's, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hazelton were at Norway, Friday.

Sadie Kimball spent Sunday afternoon at Annie Hazelton's.

In the home of last week, C. S. Cheever's name was omitted from the party that had dinner at the vestry.

Doris Nason and daughter, Caroline are stopping at her mother's, at North Fryeburg.

Mrs. Arthur Kittredge is confined to her bed with sickness.

NO. WATERFORD—ALBANY LINE
Mrs. Myron Lord has been with her grandfather, A. Herrick, at Bethel. Her grandmother passed away last Sunday.

Mrs. Herrick has been mother as well as grandmother to Mrs. Lord. She brought up Mrs. Lord as her mother died when she was a child and lived with her until her marriage.

Stanley Lord and Louise Stone were in Portland, Saturday, to see Miss Isabel Reid. She was comfortable at that time.

Roy Lord, wife and son, Hayward, took dinner with Mrs. J. E. Brown. Frank Hatch is hauling cord wood for Mrs. June Penfold from E. K. Shedd's to South Paris.

Fred Scribner carried his son, Frederick back to Norway High, Monday.

June Brown was home to Sunday dinner.

Evelyn Cummings spent the week end with Mrs. J. E. Brown and attended the carnival. Don Brown took her to Farmington Normal school, Sunday.

Billie Adams took dinner at E. K. Shedd's, Sunday.

Mrs. E. K. Shedd's driving horse was seriously injured in the stall last week.

C. W. Fuller was a caller at E. K. Shedd's, Sunday.

Lawrence Wool has more wood to get out for Charles Saunders. He had E. K. Shedd's horses a few weeks. Mr. Shedd is hauling wood and ice for R. G. Wardwell, this week.

Leland Waterhouse is some better. He has walked out of doors a few times.

June Penfold and Fred Reed were callers at her mother's, Lydia Shedd's, Saturday.

WATERFORD
Mrs. Isabel Whitcomb, has been very ill, is slowly improving and able to sit up part of the time.

Mrs. Jennie Foster called on Mrs. Ella and Mrs. Grace Millett, Thursday afternoon, recently.

Holden Savin of South Waterford was at Fred Wentworth's one day recently.

Eloise Millett has been at home for a week from her school at Quincey, Mass. Miss Millett came by the way of Norway and visited her sister, Mrs. George Greenleaf and family on the way.

Mrs. Merritt Savin called on her friend, Mrs. Jennie Foster, Friday afternoon, February 17.

Howard Millett was home from Bates over the week end, recently. He attended a hockey game at Bridgton with L. B. Rounds. Saturday afternoon, February 18, and also the drama played by the Crooked River Outing Club at the carnival at North Waterford in the evening.

Eloise Millett went with him to the George Rice and sons, Charles and Albert were recent callers at the Highlands. Sylvia Millett went to Norway, Saturday, Feb. 18, after her aunt, Eloise Millett.

Addison Millett and son, Arthur are cutting pine on their lot to be hauled to South Waterford, to Hamlin's mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Savin recently visited his nephew, Holden Savin and family at South Waterford. Mr. Savin came after them and brought them back. The storm made travelling difficult but the trip was made all right without any trouble.

WATERFORD FIAT
Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Skinner of Georgetown, Mass., observed their 45th wedding anniversary on February 14th. They received over one hundred cards, letters, and gifts, many of them from friends in former parishes, including Waterford. Mr. Skinner was pastor here several years ago. Mrs. Skinner is a native of Waterford and will be remembered as Alice Russell. Mr. and Mrs. Skinner appreciated being remembered by their friends. Miss Louise Stone went to North Waterford a couple of days last week as substitute teacher for Miss Reid, who was ill.

The drama "The Country Doctor" was played at Harrison, Friday evening.

Several from this village, attended Grange at South Waterford, Saturday night and were very enthusiastic about the fine program put on by the young folks.

The ladies of the Circle will serve a baked bean and pastry dinner at the Wilkins Community House, on town meeting day.

NORTH LOVELL

Laura McKee and Audrey Andrews entertained the circle last Friday evening. There was a good crowd.

Thirteen young people from here attended the young people's social at East Stoneham, Saturday night.

Bessie Laroque came home from Memorial hospital, Friday.

Yvonne Laroque and Eunice Adams were home over the week end.

Isma Coleman was home from Brookline, Mass., over Washington's birthday. She and her two children, Eudora and Sargent, Jr. spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKee.

Ella Harriman has finished work at West Fryeburg and is with her son, Wilbur Harriman, at home.

Kezar Lake grange will sponsor a dance at the grange hall, town meeting night, March 6.

Alegria Bartlett and small daughter, Carlene came home from Memorial hospital, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harriman, Hester McKee and Donald Andrews took Irma Coleman to Portland, Sunday.

Carla Richardson has finished work in Harriman's store and Alta Meserve is taking her place.

Douglas and William Grover spent several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McKee the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Richardson spent the week end in Norway.

Paul Adams and Seymour Butters are working for W. A. Hersey at Slide Inn. Several from this place attended the dance at North Waterford, last Saturday night.

Hannah F. Richardson Tent, No. 19, held regular meeting Wednesday evening, February 22. Washington's birthday was observed with appropriate readings and recitations. A good number of three members, Minnie McKee, Minnie Littlefield and Gladys Kilgore occurred within the past month, a delicious lunch was served in their honor. Minnie McKee received the mystery package.

The hall and tables were prettily decorated by Sisters Edith Chapin and Christie Nelson. There was a record attendance and a good time enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Anna Files is home from South Paris, where she has been with her son and family three weeks.

The Sewing Bee met at Hazel Files', Thursday. A good crowd and a lot of sewing was done.

Thaxter Littlefield got hurt badly Friday, by a limb of a tree hitting him in the face.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson visited relatives at Harrison one day last week. Mrs. Gladys Kilgore of Norway has been spending a few days at her aunt's, Mrs. A. B. Nelson's.

Mrs. Maud McAllister, Hazel McAllister and Billie Wilson went to Norway, Saturday, to meet the Club leaders.

Five Bates College boys from Lewiston were at the social held at the church vestry, Saturday night. There was a large crowd, food and cake were served, a good time was enjoyed by all.

Frederick Brown has been spending a few days at George Mills', at Slab City.

NORTHEAST LOVELL
A poverty party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kendall, Saturday evening, thirty-five being present. Much fun was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Etta McAllister and Roland Taylor won the prizes for the worst looking costumes. Most of the games were enjoyed by all. A treat of sandwiches, coffee, pickles, stuffed eggs, cake and candy was served.

Cora Fox was home over the week end. Walter Cook returned home, Friday, after staying several weeks with his father, in Keene, N. H. His father passed away the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holt and children, of Waterford, called on his sister, Mrs. John Fox, Tuesday.

George Mills bought some hay of Bert Kendall.

Mrs. Webster McAllister and son Ivan visited Wednesday and Thursday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rowe, at East Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fox spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holt, at North Waterford.

Anna King spent the week end with Frances Pederson at Mrs. Palmer's.

The ministers from the Oxford County United Parish were through here making calls, Thursday.

Iva Kendall spent the week end with friends at West Lovell and attended the minstrel show at North Fryeburg.

Mrs. Gertrude MacSherry has a new kitchen range.

Mrs. Leland Wilson and children of Center Lovell spent the Friday, with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Miliken.

Fred Warren of East Stoneham has been stopping a few days the past week at O. J. Rowe's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Wilson and family of Center Lovell and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Miliken spent Friday evening at O. J. Rowe's. A treat of fried clams was served.

FRYEBURG—TOLL BRIDGE
The remains of Frank Gordon of Bridgton were brought here for burial, Sunday, Feb. 26. Mr. Gordon lived here for about fifty years. His nearest relatives are a brother, Barnes W., of Windham and a niece, Mrs. Annie Rowe, of Springfield, Mass. His age was 74 years.

Mrs. Mary Burbank passed away Saturday, February 25, at the home of Mrs. G. G. McAllister, where she has been given the best of care. She was a helpless invalid, confined to her bed, for over fifteen years. The remains were taken to Hill's undertaking rooms at Fryeburg, where the funeral was held Monday and then placed in the tomb to await burial in the spring, at West Fryeburg, beside her husband, E. B. Burbank.

Miss Linda McAllister visited Janet Fraser several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holt called on Mrs. Fraser and family, Sunday.

Miss Eva Durgin and Miss Dorothy Holt were Saturday callers of Mrs. L. V. Gage.

The Hoyts salesman from Fryeburg was in the place, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert McAllister went to Norway on business, Monday.

BRIDGTON HIGHLANDS
Arthur Flint, foster father of good neighborhood gatherings, sponsored a birthday party at Walker Memorial Hall, Saturday evening of last week. Those whose birthdays were observed were Edward Allen, Mrs. Harry Brigham, Velma Fitzpatrick, Philip Fitzpatrick, Raymond Flint, Horace Flint and Benjamin Gibbs. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served and games and dancing were enjoyed. Miss Mary Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Lincoln Whitehouse both furnished delightful music for singing and dancing.

On Sunday afternoon Charlotte Stuart entertained Miss Laura Chase and Miss Laura Baker, both teachers in the high school, Miss Bunker a former teacher here, but now teaching in Connecticut and Miss Mary Fitzpatrick with sking and coasting down the hill in Ingalls' grove. After the outing, sandwiches and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyle Mercier were dinner guests at the Ridgeway, one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzpatrick are receiving congratulations on the birth of an eight pound son.

Mrs. Gertrude Walsh, with her son, Billy, have returned to her home in Pawtucket, after a sojourn in camp in Ingalls' grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dodge with their daughter, Shirley Jean, have arrived here to spend a short time with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodge. They motored from Philadelphia, traveling through one of the recent snow storms but without serious inconvenience.

Frank Smith, now of Malden, Mass., but formerly of this town, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Alice Wiggins. He is accompanied by his daughter, Miss Evelyn, and is being warmly welcomed by his many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, with Philip and Mary were entertained at the Ridgeway, last Wednesday evening with cards. A hot dog contest was entered upon at the refreshment table but the winner was never determined.

Miss Mary Fitzpatrick is spending her vacation week in Portland and Miss Charlotte Stuart left Monday to visit her uncle, Howard Seavey, in the same city. Lindsay Brackett of Marblehead, Mass., with four friends opened the Brackett camp in Ingalls' grove over the week end, motoring down for the occasion.

Mrs. E. L. Brackett, who has been boarding at the Ridgeway, left Monday for her home in Cumberland Mills.

NOTICE
This bank has been notified in writing as required by law by George Haley, that his savings account pass book No. 5713 has been lost and that he desires a duplicate book issued.

FIDELITY TRUST COMPANY,
By Alvin D. Merrill, Asst. Treas.
Fryeburg, Me., Feb. 20, 1933. 8-10

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of JOHN B. KIMBALL, late of Lovell, in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

CORA BEHNS KIMBALL, Lovell, Me.
Feb. 18th, 1933. 9-1

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of GABRIEL J. RAWSON, late of Buckfield in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

HARLEY F. RAWSON, Buckfield, Me.
February 21st, 1933. 9-11

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of KATIE E. J. HAMMOND, late of Paris in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

J. EUGENE HAMMOND, Norway, Me.
February 21st, 1933. 9-11

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of EION H. PIKE, late of Waterford in the County of Oxford, deceased, and giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

FRANK H. PIKE, North Conway, N. H.
JEREMY J. BELFAX, Agent.
February 21st, 1933. 9-11

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of ELLEN F. SMART, late of Fryeburg in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GRACE B. RIDLON, Kezar Falls, Me.
February 21st, 1933. 9-11

NOTICE
The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of WALTER McDONALD, late of Hiram in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GRACE B. RIDLON, Kezar Falls, Me.
February 21st, 1933. 9-11

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South Paris

MEN'S SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT

A record crowd of nearly 400 patronized the annual supper and show offered to the public by the men of the Congregational Church in the vestry, Thursday evening. Native turkey was accompanied by vegetables, pastry and cake for the main, but hardly a crumb was left for the rear ranks. Earle R. Clifford was superintendent of the dining room and Irving C. Barrows acted as head waiter, with a score and more of helpers at the crowded tables. Charles W. Bowker had general charge as in past years.

The entertainment, furnished by local celebrities, had a distinct flavor of good old times in the gay nineties. Howard Hicks' Babe Band from Brimstone Corner was an outstanding feature during the evening. The musicians were Howard Hicks, Clarence Huff, James Mason, Kermit Wilson, Roland French and Mrs. Helen Shaw. All wore costumes in keeping with the part.

The men carried on with a two-part program which opened with a benefit concert put across by the "Junior Class" of boys and the "One-Shot-Over-Yon" class of girls. Of course, dignified men impersonated the youngsters and appeared in wigs, rouge and fetching garments. Dr. M. M. Stewart was the son of Long Face who was grand patron of this collection. Declarations, class exercises and songs were given by E. Walker, Ralph R. Butts, Irving C. Barrows and Dr. E. E. Barrows. Earl Farnham, Frank Goldsmith, Lucian "Lucy" Davis, Cornelius "Sally" Sallie and others. Harold Fletcher impersonated the Lindy teacher, Elmore Edmunds. Mr. Sallie and Mr. Fletcher impersonated the Lindy teacher, Elmore Edmunds. Mr. Sallie and Mr. Fletcher impersonated the Lindy teacher, Elmore Edmunds.

Part two was a group of vaudeville acts. Carline Farnham and Ralph Stiles also Jeanette Goldsmith and Lawrence Brown, made good in duo dancing acts. Other steps were Dorrance Goodwin, aged ten years, a pupil of Frances Westcott, and his big brother, Ernest Goodwin. Both offered a nifty brand of tap dancing.

Judge Harry M. Shaw was imposing under a stove-pipe hat with fuzz on his chin, an ancient Prince Albert on his back and antique spectacles near the tip of his nose. The Judge vice-cracked many in the audience with a line that landed good.

"The House of David" male quartet, composed of Rensel H. Colby, Morton V. Dolster, E. Walker Abbott and Cornelius Sallie delighted all with many songs popular in the 90's. For a bit of atmosphere the singers wore bearded hats, sweaters, and bearded hats. Unkept whiskers and straggling hair did not indicate a barber strike in South Paris.

A radio broadcast from Turkey Hill and other local points was heard in the efforts of R. H. Colby as James Wallingford; Cornelius Sallie as Eddie Cantor; Kermit Wilson as Robin Hood; Gordon Thayer as saxophone soloist and Marguerite Shaw in the popular role of Kate Smith was a strong novelty.

A surprise was the announcement of the Irish baritone, which proved to be an impersonation of Eddie Cantor by Connie Sallie, blessed as the story is. His vocal selections were well received.

The educated "What Have You" was a freak of nature, owned and trained on Pine Street and exhibited by Reuben Glue according to the announcer.

The acts were sandwiched with plenty of music by the rub and not a dull minute was allowed to happen.

Stage lighting was arranged by Leonard Lathrop of Timney & Lathrop, electricians.

RAISE MORE OR SPEND LESS

The Paris town report for 1932 shows an increase of liability of \$3,131.86 over the preceding year.

To the extent the liabilities in excess of resources in 1932 were \$117,793.32 and the year before was \$109,661.36.

Whither are we drifting? Budget meeting wrangles are of little avail.

MRS. LOUISE J. BRIGGS' 90TH BIRTHDAY

On Wednesday, March 1st, Mrs. Louise J. Briggs and her daughter, Mrs. Agnes L. Morton, entertained the Ladies' Circle of the Congregational Church at their home, 77 Pine Street, in observance of Mrs. Briggs' 90th birthday. The party numbering about forty, joined in singing the Doxology and gathered around the various tables at 12:30 where a bountiful covered dish dinner was served.

A business meeting followed with Mrs. Louisa Stewart, president of the Circle, presiding. At the close of the session, Rev. Rensel H. Colby read an original poem which he dedicated to Mrs. Briggs. Mrs. Clara Mosher sang "Faded Mother" by Eno Rappe. She was accompanied by Mrs. Stella V. Burnham on the piano. Mrs. Madge Gray gave an historical sketch pertaining to the "Ladies' Circle" many years ago. The remainder of the afternoon was passed socially and from start to finish was a most delightful occasion.

Mrs. Briggs was literally showered with beautiful flowers and plants, and received many gifts, letters and cards. Especially noticeable was a very nice birthday cake made by Mrs. Eva Howard.

It is rarely the case that there is opportunity to extend congratulations on the 90th anniversary to one so fully preserved as Mrs. Briggs, as she is in full possession of all her faculties, is bright and active and interested in all issues of the day. Other guests arrived in the afternoon. She has lived at South Paris seventy years and is the oldest living member of the South Paris Congregational Church.

The Chamber of Commerce will meet this Thursday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall. Supper will be served at 6:30. The High School Orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Helen Shaw, furnish music. The budget committee will make a report on what they have done about town affairs.

Wm. Kinney, who has been attending college in Colorado since last Fall, returned home, Sunday, and made the trip both ways in an ancient flier and was a sensation along the route. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Chas. L. Kinney. Miss Harriett Neal of Auburn has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Dean the past week or so.

Hannie Temple, P. S., entertained Lake Temple of Norway, Tuesday evening. A buffet lunch was served and a social hour followed the regular meeting.

Ellsworth Church has returned from the Central Maine General Hospital, where he was under observation and treatment about ten days. He seems to be gaining some.

Rev. James E. Kirkpatrick's sermon topic at the Baptist Church, "Sunday morning will be 'The Cure of Souls' or 'Christ and the Individual'." Sunday morning will mark the beginning of a "Go to Church Movement" all over the Northern Baptist Convention. The slogan adopted is "March to Church in March", little buttons bearing the slogan will be handed out at the morning service.

PARENT-TEACHERS' MEETING

One of the most interesting meetings was held at the high school, Monday evening, with a good number present. The program consisted of the kind of activities represented by the special courses of high school. An exhibit of drawings was admired and of special work in the gym, showing physical training was a revelation. The Commercial and Home Economics Departments were open for inspection. A penny lunch was served. A general program in the assembly hall was as follows:

Music by the Fifth Grade.....Mrs. Shaw
Music by Physical Education with Demonstrations.....Miss Morse
Modern Trend of Physical Education with Demonstrations.....Miss Wheeler
Orchestra.....Mrs. Shaw
Figuratively Speaking (A Foods Play).....Miss Stapp
The Oration of the Special Courses in the High School.....Mr. Bailey
Talk by.....Mr. Morton

At the Congregational Church next Sunday morning, Rev. Rensel H. Colby will preach on "Clean Hands." A combined evening service with the young people at 7 o'clock will be held. Rev. A. A. Edwards of Bethel will speak and a group of young people, mostly from Gould Academy, will give a demonstration of the young people's religious society, "Pilgrims by the Way."

At Deering Memorial Church next Sunday morning, Rev. C. L. Kinney's subject will be "The Glory of the Divine Countenance." Rev. Carl N. Garland, district superintendent of the Methodist churches was entertained during his conferences in Norway, South Paris and Oxford.

The silver tea at the home of Mrs. H. A. Morton, Thursday afternoon, was enjoyed. The guests were the Rallie Class of Deering Memorial Church and a good number were present. A business meeting was held and the following officers elected:

President—Mrs. Mildred Cole.
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Eva Ordway.
Treasurer—Mrs. Lulu Merrill.
A preliminary meeting to organize a troop of Boy Scouts in the Congregational Church School was held in the vestry, Monday evening. Definite plans were made to perfect the organization with Milford Chandler and Gordon Thayer, assistant scout masters. Elmore Edmunds expects to act as scout master.

SOUTH PARIS—BOLSTER DIST.

Miss Cecelia Maxim and Miss Dorothy Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Record and family, Saturday. Miss Maxim also visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Record and Mrs. Charles Strout of East Oxford.

Edward Swett and brother, Oliver, have been chopping wood for Fred Record. The Misses Rensel and Ruth Record spent Monday night with their sister, Olive Vashaw, on Charles Street. They attended the Parent-Teachers' Association meeting held at South Paris High School. Mrs. Vashaw also attended the meeting.

Although we had only a little snow, Sunday, the roads were full Monday. The wind blew the snow into the roads and filled them full. The automobiles are being able to get through on the Parsons road. Miss Parsons had to walk to Miss Wheeler's and come to school with her.

Charles Swett is yarding our some wood to Henry Record's camp for Fred Record.

Mrs. William Thomas is gaining slowly.

Lee Dudley visited John Ramsey and son, Friday night. He attended the social held at the Caldwell schoolhouse.

Mrs. Belle Strother was ill and unable to attend the entertainment held at the Caldwell schoolhouse and placed Lottie Record and E. O. Sands as directors.

Allan Back has now left Herman Record's.

Mrs. Mattie Downs is in Boston. She is planning to return to Mr. McKen's later.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. McKen and Clifford Lake went to Augusta, Tuesday, on business.

FRYEBURG

Death of Dr. Shirley

Dr. Allan Lincoln Shirley of East Bridgewater, Mass., died at his home in that town, on Monday, Feb. 21. The funeral was in the Congregational Church, East Bridgewater, February 23 and burial was in East Bridgewater cemetery. Dr. Shirley was born February 15, 1865, in Fryeburg, the son of Franklin and Emily Page Shirley. He spent his boyhood and youth on the ancestral farm and was educated at Fryeburg Academy, where he was graduated with the class of 1886. He studied medicine at Bowdoin Medical School, from which he was graduated in the class of 1890. He began practice soon after at East Bridgewater, with the late Dr. Millett, to whose practice he succeeded.

The Massachusetts newspaper, reports of his death state that Dr. Shirley was a progressive and helpful citizen of East Bridgewater, and one of the schools of the town is a monument to his devotion to the best interests of the community. He was a member of the Congregational Church, his membership beginning when a youth in Fryeburg.

PORTER CENTER

Mrs. Wallace Durgin visited in Kezar Falls, Thursday.

Vivian Jordan visited her friend, Lulu Sawyer, Thursday night.

Chas. Jordan visited his sister, Carrie Morrill, Saturday afternoon.

Nearly every one has started tapping in this section.

Helen Durgin and Vivian Jordan were supper guests of Mrs. Davis, Sunday night.

Vivian Jordan visited the primary, intermediate and junior high schools, Thursday.

Frank Weeks recently bought a new horse of Chas. Trafton, of Sanford.

Gilman Urrigh recently bought a new gig which he enjoys very much.

Roy Pierce is trucking wood for Clifton Lord to Kezar Falls.

Arthur Verrill and Mrs. Fitzwillson are entertaining company from Portland.

Chas. D. Jordan, the oldest man in Porter and the only Civil War veteran is gaining so to be able to set up a part of each day.

Arthur Verrill and Mrs. Fitzwillson were in Portland, to see Mrs. Verrill at Maine General Hospital, Saturday.

Merton Davis is working for Milton Varney.

Arthur Gilman recently took a logging job of Fred Mason.

Chas. Jordan is very proud of the first goose egg of the season.

Ever prospered even early spring as Chas. Jordan saw three robins, Thursday.

Vivian Jordan saw a crow, Friday.

OXFORD—FORE STREET

Fore Street School

100 per cent spelling, week ending February 24, Doris Reynolds, Beulah Bachelder, Hazel Reynolds, Edith Henderson, Alice Grover, Martha Henderson, Thomas Twitchell.

CENTER LOVELL

Mrs. Nellie Brown is staying with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stearns.

Elmer Davis is hauling bolts for O. E. Andrews.

Chris LeBaron called at Isaac Fox's one day the past week.

Wilbur McAlister has been visiting his niece, Glenna Wilson, for a few days.

Mabel McAlister called on Mrs. W. B. and Mrs. E. C. McKen, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Grover and daughter, Beverly spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Milliken.

Weeman McAlister has been logging for Mr. Bell, of Fryeburg.

Stanley Milliken, wife and son, Archie, were evening callers at Melvin Wilkerson's, Friday.

Elmer Davis and family were Sunday callers at R. E. McAlister's.

EAST FRYEBURG

Frank Sanborn returned Monday, the 29th, from a week's visit in Boston with his daughter, Amelia. He also visited friends in Newton, Belmont, and Plymouth.

Wilton Warren has been on jury duty at South Paris for the past two weeks.

Also was drawn on the murder case for this week.

Elmer Harnden, a native of this place and who lived here as a young man, died at his home in East Conway and was buried at Fryeburg, Wednesday. He was a member of the old East Fryeburg band and a fine tuba player. Several from here attended the funeral.

A former teacher, Evelyn Chalmers, was a visitor the last of the week at W. B. Lord's.

The grange held its regular meeting, Friday evening; a small turnout, but a very interesting program. The next meeting is anniversary night and a big attendance is hoped for.

WEST LOVELL

Arthur Fox, Jr., spent the day, Saturday, with Ian McAlister and John Fox spent the forenoon with them. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fox came to Byron McAlister's after their son and spent the evening.

Byron C. McAlister and Orman hauled up twelve cords of wood, Monday, with the oxen. They are saving with Byron's outfit he has fixed up.

The school bus did not get up Monday. Tuesday morning, Ralph Hurd got through as far as Dan Fox's with the little snow plow.

Monday afternoon, Ethel McAlister and Ian skied to Albra Lord's and Ethel did some letter writing for Mrs. Lord, who gets around in the wheel chair, but is unable to write with her left hand.

M. A. Sargent had his wood saved last Tuesday. Wendell McAlister, Henry Gray, Gus Fox and George Gupit had 22 1-2 cords.

Marcus Stearns saved wood for Irving Bowley, with his sawing outfit, last week, Wednesday. Fred Stearns assisted him. Mrs. Leora Fox visited Evelyn Bowley last Wednesday and they called on Esther Stearns in the afternoon.

Henry Gray, Wendell McAlister, and George Gupit saved Gus Fox's wood with M. A. Sargent's wood sawing outfit. He had twenty-five cords, more or less.

Mrs. George Gupit worked for Mrs. Wesley Hammond at North Fryeburg, last week.

Herman Merrill and family were recent callers on Mrs. Sarah Lord.

Mrs. Katharine Fox has been sick with bronchitis.

Mrs. Arthur Fox was on the supper committee at the village, Friday evening.

Aubrey and Albert Graves are trucking pine for Marcus and Burton Stearns.

Miss Mavis Fox is spending a two

weeks recess from school with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fox.

Mrs. Nellie Chapman and Miss Alice Elliott visited at Marcus Stearns' home day.

NORWAY—FROST HILL

Mrs. Florence Hill, who has been in Limerick, has returned home.

Rosecoe Hill has some chickens four weeks old that weigh a pound apiece. He has a hen that has laid 100 eggs in 100 days and she lays every morning at seven o'clock and is still laying.

Mrs. E. A. Hanson has been caring for her father, W. H. Cripps, who has been confined to his bed this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosecoe Hill and Rachel and Rebecca Hill were in Limerick, recently.

George O. Hill helped Otto L'Ankhouen kill two pigs, Tuesday.

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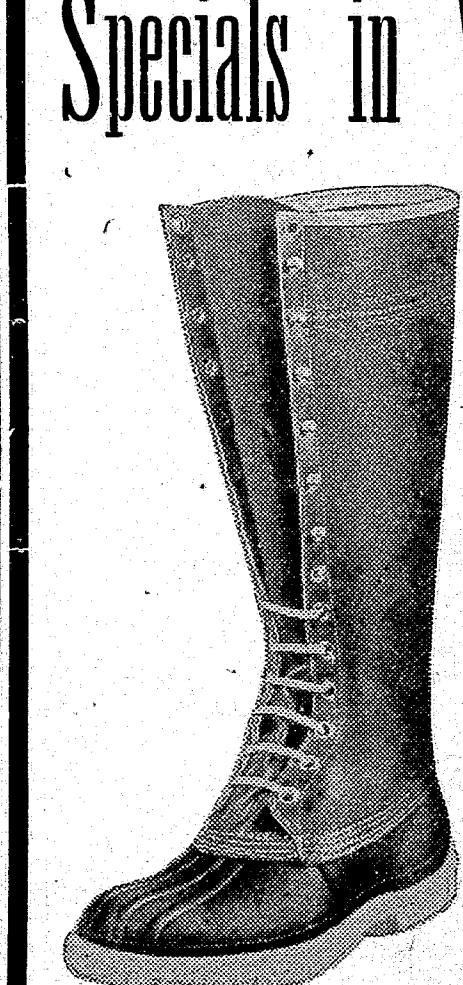
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UNCLE ZEKE

AND HULDA

Visit The Stores

Well, folks, wife and I spent most of Wednesday in Norway village just poking round some of the stores. We looked over the places, discussed weather with the clerks and brushed up conversation with the proprietors. Of course we did a raft of window shopping which isn't profitable for the store except when as a coxer the tin horn shoppers drift inside and buy with money and not good looks.

Hearing about the overcoat bargains at the L. F. Pike Co., or Blue Store, nothing would do but Hulda must parade me in there. Hanging on the gas pipe, were overcoats, all wool, warm, the double-breasted kind, in browns, grays and blues. Some had been \$39.50, some lower, but Hulda's eye was caught by one other group, formerly \$16.50 or less was to be cleaned out for \$12.50 each, take your pick. Even if packed away for another winter, any coat is a money saver worth considering.

Our next stop was up street at the Jas. Smith Shoe Store where Mafor Mann has a good line of winter footwear in men's leather top rubbers, at a 50c to \$1 discount. Just the things for plowing through snow or paddling in slush or mud. What fixed my stare was the legging boots, all rubber, hip length, pliable as velvet, light in weight, when rolled will take up not much more space than a fishing, duck hunting or crawling under the floor.

Hulda spied the windows at Z. L. Merchant's and away we scrambled. Fastidiously she dragged me to do the heavy looking on while she quizzed Zeb about a new line of sport and utility coats just arrived. Yes, folks, the garments were nifty, with belts and other stranger effects. There were gray mixtures, black, tan, and blue spring garments right from New York. We were told that more are on the way and this nice assortment will please the ladies.

At Eliot A. Fuller Co.'s, I had my turn at the bat, especially around the counter where 35c ties made a riot in new spring shades. This was offset only by the red and green zipper sweat shirts that are popular and sporty. The new Malloy hats in an "up-all-around" style made my rusty derby look like last year's corn patch. Only \$3.50 for a pearl gray or brown cravat, moisture resisting and certain to fit.

We couldn't pass Fred S. Brown's store without hanging around the worsted window or where the basement novelties were shown. Inside, Hulda went smack into a table where new blouses of organics, sheer linen and lavins with collars and bows held the good wife spellbound. Just beyond were the cowboy or rodeo skirts to wear with blouses. Hulda spied a new line of slip-on sweaters, just the thing for style and arm freedom.

The E. N. Swett Shoe Co. was our last call for the week. We were shown dandy moccasins for men, women, girls and boys. Some had low heels and other soles, others were Indian style. Arch supporters and crepe rubber sole appeared on some. Prices range from about \$2.50 up, that is low for comfortable sporting or indoor footwear. In the bargain basement, we observed shoes from regular stock marked clear down, also a line of rubber overshoes at low prices. Hulda suggested that Eddie McCormack take her foot print for arch supporters. I moved we pass over the article until a future visit to the village.

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Boys' plain sole\$2.25

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Boys' rubber sole\$2.50

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